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GROUND LAYERS CLOSE TO BORE HOLES AND FILTER BODIES AND
FILTER LAYERS IN WELLS AND OTHER PRODUCTION WELLS

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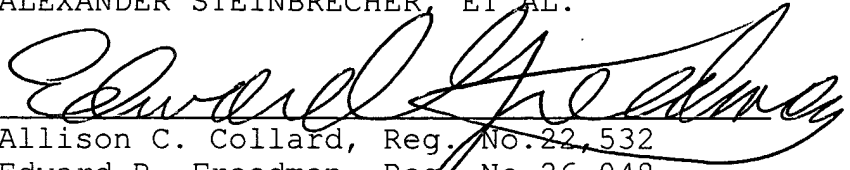
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